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BUFORD.				
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J. McKidley,	Mar. 12	June 11	Sept. 9	Dec. 2
HARTFORD.				
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J. D. Byers,	" 10	" 9	" 8	" 15
ROCKPORT.				
R. Duncan,	Mar. 13	June 18	Sept. 2	Dec. 16
W I. Rowe,	" 19	" 19	" 16	" 4
ROSINE.				
W. M. Autry,	Mar. 17	June 17	Sept. 18	Dec. 18
A S Aull,	" 18	" 16	" 17	" 17
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THE BROKEN VOW.

By P. A. S.

Faithful lover do not tell me,
My "dreams of love have flown,"
Or, that I must so soon forget thee,
And brave life's storms alone.

It's true when by your side you led me.
With your kind and loving arm,
I gave a heart both true and free,
Thinking I, I fear no harm.

My heart then was full of gladness,
That now yearns and aches for thee,
As years roll on so full of sadness,
And blighted hopes, ah! left for me.

Naught lingers to redeem those hours,
Still, still to memory sweet,
The flowers that bloomed in sunny bowers.
Lie withering at my feet.

Where is the promise of my years,
Once written on my brow,
Ere I had sunk beneath my peers,
Where sleeps that promise now.

I can but own my life in vain,
A desert void of peace,
I missed the goal I sought to gain,
O heaven bid earth's tumults cease.

You will doubtless soon foget me,
Forget that we have ever met,
Heaven grant it shall ever be
You'll have nothing to regret.

Regret, I hope you will never,
Those solem sacred vows,
We made and thought we ever,
One heart change could allow.

Now as the weary years roll on,
With me, though time may be brief,
And lovers too, you have come and gone,
And life is frail as the autumn leaf,

To God and thy dear self be true.
Go forth in all thy dreams of love,
The one who will doubtless precede you
Will wait at heaven's high gate above,
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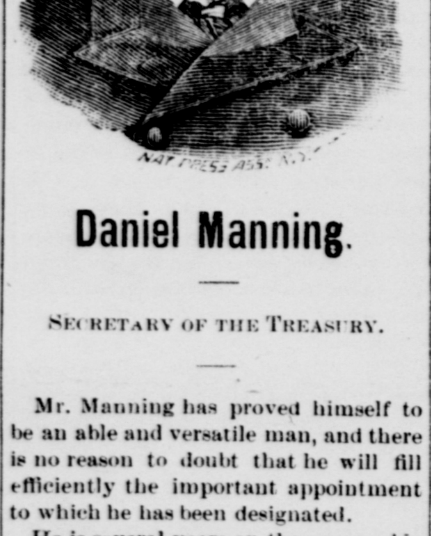

Daniel Manning.

SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY.

Mr. Manning has proved himself to be an able and versatile man, and there is no reason to doubt that he will fill efficiently the important appointment to which he has been designated.

He is several years on the sunny side of fifty, an Albanian by birth, and a self-made man. His parents were in a very humble and obscure position in life, and it is not conceivable that they ever thought their bright and precocious boy would develop into a Cabinet minister. When he was a very young boy, Daniel was sent to work as a messenger and general drudge in the printing office of the *Argus*, Albany, New York. From this mean position his fellow citizens of the place of his birth have observed his rise, certainly to eminence if not to greatness.

Before long the boy had learned the art and mystery of setting type, and worked at the case. He had, moreover, manifested ability which Mr. Cassidy then editor of the *Argus*, was quick to observe. Accordingly he gave the young compositor a position as reporter, one for which he proved to be admirably adapted. Manning at the time was about twenty years of age, healthy and vigorous, self-assertive and plucky. His first assignments were in the chamber of the New York Assembly, where he soon became well known to the members, especially as he evidenced an extraordinary interest in politics. This found expression in hard work at meetings, in caucuses and at the polls. The young journalist rose step by step with the success of his political work. He is now President of the *Argus* Company, which owns the newspaper on the staff of which he earned his first dollar, and the *Argus* speaks as inspired by the man who began a busy life sweeping its office.

Mr. Manning has been Chairman of the New York Democratic Committee for several years. He is a near friend of Samuel J. Tilden, and to him is largely due the Democratic victory in New York State last November—the victory which insured the return of his party to power in Washington. His dexterity was the chief cause of Mr. Cleveland's nomination to the Presidency.

The above portrait of Mr. Manning is from a recent photograph, and the reader needs not to be told that its subject has a handsome countenance. His figure is tall and large, and his carriage commanding. The visitor to Mr. Manning finds him to be exceedingly affable and courteous as well as dignified, and scrupulously "point device" in his attire. While not a great orator Mr. Manning speaks with a ready, exact and pleasing address in public. In counsel he is sagacious, and in planning and executing party schemes adroit and able.

He has a second wife, to whom he was married recently, and a son and daughter born in first nuptials. His wealth is considerable, he lives in good style and dispenses hospitality with discrimination and liberality.

Millwood Mites.

Last spring a little five year-old daughter of H. C. Crawford, of Millwood, accidentally swallowed some concentrated lye, that had been unthinkingly placed in her reach. For sometime little was thought about it, but very soon the child displayed symptoms of throat affection and it was only by a painful effort that she was able to swallow any kind of solid food. The best local physicians were consulted without being able to relieve the little sufferer in the least, and finally Doctors Yandell and Roberts, of Louisville, were appealed to, but even their great skill was of no avail and they were forced to acknowledge that they could do her no good. In the meantime the child had ceased entirely to take any solid food, and was existing on what little milk she could be pursuaded to swallow, which in itself was very little to preserve life. She continued to live in this manner upwards of three months until about six weeks ago, when she bitterly refused to take any kind of nourishment whatever. From a stout, healthy child, she has dwindled away until now at this writing her actual weight is only a fraction over 14 pounds. It is just 37 days since she has partaken of any kind of nourishment, not even a mouthful of water having been swallowed by her in all that time. The child still retains all her faculties, and can speak, but in such a weak tone of voice that only her mother can understand what she says. Her condition is pitiable in the extreme, as it is evident that she craves food all the time but is unable to swallow the most liquid nourishment. The case has created a great deal of interest in this county, and speculation is rife on how long the child can possibly live under the circumstances, while the parents have the heartfelt sympathy of the whole community in their trouble.

Measles *are* as thick as blackberries, in these parts just now. A great number have been down with the disease, but only in one case have they proved fatal. At present there seems to be an abatement to their ravages, and it is hoped they will die out in a short time.

It has been the misfortune of Grayson county, as well as a great many other counties in Kentucky, for a number of years past, to be represented in the State Legislature by men unsuited in every respect for the position they occupied. It is not enough for a man to know the wants of his county and his constituents, and represent them honestly and to the best of his ability, but he should also be a representative of the intelligence of his county as well. It must be acknowledged that during the last decade we have had few men in our State Legislature who could, or did represent fully the intelligence of Grayson county. Those who elect such men have to shoulder the blame and bear the shame of all their blunders and mistakes, while a broad grin spreads over the more favored counties, as they wonder what kind of a constituency could have made the mistake of sending such a man to the Legislative halls of Frankfort. Grayson county will have several candidates next August for this position, and she would do well to see that no more mistakes of such a nature occur. Let her elect an educated man, one in whom she will feel some pride, and one who will make himself a record before the country without becoming a disgrace to those who elected him. I understand that James S. Wortham, Esq., our efficient County Attorney at present, is about to become a candidate for Legislative honors, and I am glad of it, as in Mr. Wortham we would have everything we should have had long before this time. Mr. Wortham is a fine lawyer of undisputed ability, a scholar, and one of the most progressive gentlemen in our county, and his advent into the Legislative halls would and should be a proud event to the people of Grayson county. In Mr. Wortham we would have a true representative of the intelligence of our community, as well as having the benefit of as fine legal talent as can be found anywhere in Kentucky. In fact, Mr. Wortham would be a credit to our county, and if happily he can be pursuaded to make the race, I have no doubt but his election will be an assured fact. L.

What Parents Fear.

Many persons—especially parents—object to many quack nostrums as likely to engender or encourage a love for strong drink. They are right. Better die of disease than drunkenness. The use of Parker's Tonic does not involve this danger. It not only builds up the system, curing all ailments of the stomach, liver and kidneys, but it stimulates without intoxicating and absolutely cures the appetite for liquor. 9 4t

In Memoriam.

Alpheus Everly, a citizen of the West Point neighborhood and a member of the Baptist church at West Point, Ohio county, Ky., died at his residence February 4th, 1885, aged 64 years, nine months and nine days. He was born in Virginia, April 25th, 1820. On the route from Virginia to Kentucky, remembering how anxiously his mother had talked to him about the salvation of his soul, he turned aside from the lonely road, and in a strange forest knelt and gave his heart to the Lord and arose and pursued his way rejoicing. After reaching Kentucky he connected himself with the Methodist church. Becoming dissatisfied with their baptism, the writer baptized him and his wife about twenty years ago. With the two denominations he lived and worked, a faithful, earnest Christian about forty-two years, when the Master, by his messenger death, said, It is enough, come up higher. He was ready and anxious to go. He went with delight, testifying to those around him his firm hope in Christ. In the presence of many friends, the writer conducted funeral services, after which loving hands tenderly laid away the body to await the resurrection. May the Lord bless and comfort the widow and children in their afflictions.

W. P. BENNETT.

Concerning the West.

FORT YELM, WASHINGTON TERRITORY, Feb. 24, 1885.

Editor Herald:

Quite a number of the HERALD'S readers have written to me for information concerning emigration to the far West, and for other facts that would be of interest to the Tenderfoot in the land of the rising sun; and, if you will allow me, I will endeavor, after five years' experience on the north Pacific coast, to do what is rarely done, tell you the truth about this country.

For those who wish to build up a home and are not afraid of work, a better and healthier climate and a more peaceful and law-abiding people cannot be found on the American continent than are here. To those who wish to make a living with kid gloves on, or hands in pocket, I say, don't come without plenty of capital. A first-class liar and good scribe can probably flourish here, by stretching the blanket, in order to lure the tenderfoot to destruction.

If any of my Ohio county friends are infected, or likely to become so, with the western fever, let me advise them, to pay no attention to land agents, nice maps, circulars and pretty pictures of homes in the great West; but kick all such into the fire, and if you want a home out here come yourself and get it.

J. JAY CRAHAN.

The Importance of Education.

Education is so essential a factor in every direction in which we move, that to be without it, is to be deprived of the greatest blessing ever conferred upon man. It is only by intelligence that man can protect himself. To be without education is to be like a block of marble, in the rude, rough unpolished condition of the quarry. To possess education is to have his block of marble relieved by skillful artisans of it dross and impurities and unsightliness. Thus education in its effects upon a noble mind shows its capabilities and renders it promotive of the truest ends and aims of a temporal existence, to be succeeded by an eternity of glory.

How often has the humblest individual been rescued from a career of ignorance by the polishing hand of wisdom? Man is possessed of certain intuitive faculties, which, subjected to educational processes fit him to adorn his station and invest it with abounding credit and renown. There is no occupation in which men may engage that may not be rendered more profitable by intelligent thought and labor. We must be educated for our work in order to compete for the prize which is easily snatched from the ignorant. Every spare moment of time should be devoted to intellectual culture. Let us use our natural gifts in a proper manner.

JAS. B. HOCKER.

Sixes Creek.

March 9th, 1685.

Editor Herald:

Wheat is nearly all frozen out in this vicinity.

Corn is very scarce.

Stock thin in order.

Farmers have been sowing a good deal of tobacco seed during the last few sunshiny days.

Elvira, wife of Jesse Tooley, is very low with consumption.

Richard Geary, of this vicinity, left for Kansas on the 4th inst.

Received from D. H. Baldwin & Co., Louisville, February 28th, 1885, one Hamlin Organ in first-class condition, for which the editor of the HERALD will please accept our best and kindest thanks.

Lost or stolen, two notes on John South for $25 each, due March 1st, 1885, and March 1st, 1886, respectively. All persons are forbidden to trade for the above named notes. H. M. ALLEN.

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of consumption, bronchitis, catarrh, asthma and all throat and lung affections, also a positive and radical cure for nervous debility and all nervous complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper, W. A. NOYES, 149 Powers Block Rochester, N. Y. 11 3 eow 1y

Greenback Convention.

At a meeting of the National Greenback party of Butler county, held at the Court-house in Morgantown, Ky., on March the 9th 1885, (pursuant to the call of J. M. Cook, chairman County Committee, which call was endorsed in writing by a large number of voters, many of whom had voted either for Cleveland, Blaine or St. John), James H Guffy was called to the chair, and E Neel chosen Secretary. Thomas J. Ward, James M. Cook, J. E. Sharer, E Neel and B. L. D. Guffy were appointed a committee on resolutions, who after retiring, reported the following, which was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That we congratulate the country upon the increased interest taken in the financial question and the great advancement made in regard to what constitutes money. We still rejoice that the Supreme Court of the nation has decided that our monetary views are Constitutional and we regret that President Cleveland has bestowed the highest office within his gift on the Senator, Bayard, who made haste to offer an amendment to the National Constitution to overthrow said decision.

2—That we condemn alike the late message of ex-President Arthur and the recent letter of President Cleveland (which letter is but a rehash of the message) urging the suspension of silver coinage. If their views prevail the result will be to make the rich richer and the poor poorer, whether so intended or not.

3—We demand that the coinage of the 412½ grain silver dollar be made free, the same as gold, and if it be true as (Messrs Arthur and Cleveland say) that there is a surplus of silver dollars in the vaults of the Treasury, we demand that they be applied to the payment of the bonded debt of the nation and thus stop the interest that is devouring the substance of the people.

4—All currency allowed by law to circulate as money ought to be legal tender for debt.

5—The Treasury note called greenback is the best money we ever had and we are opposed to its retirement under any pretext whatever.

6—We are opposed to any bank having power to issue money. All money should be issued by the Government and should be full legal tender for all debts.

7—We demand a low rate of taxation and a large volume of money.

8—We respectfully suggest to all Republicans and Democrats who are for silver money, that the course of the last Administration and the letter and Cabinet of the new, clearly show that the controlling elements of both the old parties are against silver money and for gold as the only legal tender money of the country, hence all friends of silver coinage should unite with the Greenback party and help us to relieve the terrible financial distress now oppressing the people.

9—A Convention of the National Greenback party is hereby called to meet in Morgantown, Ky., on Monday, May the 11th, 1885, to nominate a candidate for the Senate in this district, and the Greenbackers of Ohio and Muhlenberg counties are requested to send delegates to the said convention. A convention is also called to meet at same time and place to nominate a candidate to represent Butler and Edmonson counties in the next General Assembly, and the Greenbackers of Edmonson county are requested to send delegates to the same. All the Greenbackers of Butler county are hereby appointed delegates to said convention.

10—That we hereby recommend Hon. J. M. Cook of Butler county as a candidate for State Treasurer and we suggest that the State Central Committee place him in nomination without the expense and trouble of a State Convention.

11—That the Butler county News, Hartford Herald, Muhlenberg Echo, Bowling Green Times Gazette, Courier-Journal, The American, The National View and Central City Argus, are requested to publish these proceedings.

J. H GUFFY, Chairman.
E. NEEL, Secretary.

Mischief is Wrought

by bad cooking, tough meats, late hours business worries, irregular livers, sour despositions, evil digestion and impure blood. Much of this mischief can be overcome by the use of Brown's Iron Bitters—the best tonic ever made. Mrs. Emilie Crowford, of Reidsville, Ga., writes, "After trying Brown's Iron Bitters we are persuaded that it is all that is claims to be—a good and reliable tonic." Thousands of others speak in like manner.

An Artistic Humorous Gem.

The Baltimore *American* says: The choicest selection of copyrighted American humor and one which will delight every reader is now being distributed free throughout America. Nearly all the humorists and comic artists of the country are represented in it, among them "Bill Nye;" Robert J. Burdette, Burlington *Hawkeye*; F. H. Gassaway, "Derrick Dodd," San Francisco *Post*; C. B. Lewis, "M. Quad," Detroit *Free Press*; Stanley Huntley, "Spoopendyke;" Opie P. Read, *Arkansaw Traveler*; R. K. Munkittrick of *Puck*, and others. The book in question is the unique annual literary production of The Charles A. Vogeler Company, of this city, and is styled the St. Jacobs Oil Family Calendar and Book of Health and Humor for 1885. While it has been gotten up primarily for advertising purpoes, it is so replete with original matter free from advertising reference that the business feature is almost a secondary one. Twelve million copies are issued for gratuitous distribution, being delivered from house to house in large cities, and in smaller towns furnished through the medium of druggists. It has been printed in a number of languages and for different countries. The press of Great Britain and Australia is unanimous in praising the merit and originality of its contents. The illustrated sketches are interspersed with testimonials as to the merits of the wonderful pain-cure, St. Jacobs Oil, the only remedy which received gold medals at the World's Fairs of Australia, India and other countries. The Red Star Cough Cure, a new discovery in medicine, has also space devoted to it. Boards of Health of large cities, eminent medical authorities, analytical chemists, chief officers of state and municipal governments, have all testified not only to the curative effects of this remedy, but also to its freedom from narcotics, opiates and poisons, which enter so largely into the composition of old-time preparations. The former editions of this little book were very attractive, but in the present instance both publishers and contributors seem to have determined that they would give the country all that is brightest and best in American humor.

Cobden Ill.

March 7 1885.

Editor Herald:

The 4th. of March is past and we are now living under a glorious Democrtic administration, and so we expect to have good weather and prosperous times. Indeed, we have had some beautiful weather for the past few days since the break-up, and the only thing to mar the pleasure has been the bottomless mud; every foot or hoof goes down like a sharpened stick. The ground was frozen to the depth of from 12 to 18 inches, and required four or five days of sunshine to thaw out. It is now very interesting and awful.

The tax collector has been among us this week, relieving us of our shekels to carry them to the Fathers for their watchful care over us, for roads, schools suffrage, and dogs. Strange, is it not? that the neigbor's dog is always at our house when the assessor comes around to make an inventory of our goods and chattels. This dog assessment of one dollar on each dog brings just about $2,000, to this county, which fund is set apart to pay for sheep that the hungry canines kill. The county treasurer paid to the farmers of Cobden precinct for sheep killed by dogs the sum of $750. Many of the farms have given up the raising of sheep on account of the great destruction of them by dogs.

Some of our people that have been sojourning in Florida this winter have returned, looking much improved in health. The luscious oranges seem to have agreed with them. Some of them own large groves, and therefore spend the winter in the South with pleasure and profit as well.

The Southern Illinois poultry and pet stock association held their exhibition at Carbondale last week, and it was quite a success, especially in the poultry line. This association was formed about a year ago and has given quite an impetus to the rearing of good stock.

W. E. T.

One of General Washington's Body Servants.

"You say," I remarked to an old negro that drove the hack, "that you were one of General Washington's body servats?

"Dat's so! dat's just so massa, I done waited on Washington sence he was so high—no bigger'n a small chile.',

"You know the story, then, about the cherry tree and the hachet?,

"Know it? Why I was there on the spot! I seen Massa Gawge climb de tree after de cherries, and I seen him fling de hatchet at de boys who was a-stonin him. I done chase dem boys off de place meself."

"Do you remember his appearance as a man?"

"Yes, indeedy. He was kinder sort chunk man —sorter fat and harty lookin., He had chin whiskers and mestache and spectacles. Mos generally he wore a high hat; but I seed him in a fur cap wid ear warmers..'

"You were not with him, of course when he crossed the Delaware River?"

"Wid him? Yes, sir; I was right dar. I was not more'n two feet off'n him as he druv acrcss de bridge in his bugy I walked 'longside de off hind wheel, of dat buggy all de way."

"You saw him when he fought the British at Trenton?"

"Sho's you'er born I did! I held Massa Gawge's coat and hat while he fought de British at dat wery place. Massa Gawge clinched him and den da rassled and rassled; at first he frew Massa Gawge, and den Massa Gwage flung him and set on him and done hammered him till he cried 'nuff.'"

"You weren't with him, though, when he shot the apple off the boy's head?"

"Who wa'nt wid him? I was de only pusson dar ceptin' one white man. I loaded Massa Gawge's revolver and han'ed it to him, and picked up de apple an' et it as soon as he'd knocked it off. No body can tell dis ole niggah nuffin 'bout dat circumstance."

"You know all of General's relations too, I suppose—Martin Luther and Peter the Hermit and the rest?"

"Know em all. Meny, meny's de time I done waited on de table when Massa Gawge had um to dinner. I remember de two gemmen jes's well if I'd seen em yesterday. Yes sah, an druv 'em out often."

Just then we reached the station, and I dismounted from the hack and paid Washington's body servant. No doubt a longer conversation with him would have revealed other new and startling facts relating to the Father of his Country.—*Max Adeler in Our Continent.*

ABOUT THE FARM.

AN ORCHARD FERTILIZER.

The best fertilizer I have used for fruit trees is made of chip dirt from the wood pile, and old ashes. I mix in the proportion of one bushel of the ashes to three of the chip-dirt, stirring well with the shovel. About two bushels of this mixture is to be spread around each young tree, giving large, well-grown trees more. The manure is applied at any season. Do not pile around the trees any litter or rubbish that would harbor mice. In summer keep the weeds from around the trees. Experience has taught me that this fertilizer serves a very important purpose, not only in supplying the trees with suitable food, but in mellowing the soil, and helping on such crops as I may choose to plant in my orchard. It is an excellent fertilizer for any crop, annual or perennial, and the ashes (from hard-wood), supply the trees with the element they most need, and the soil lacks, namely, potash.

It is a pleasure to see how a young orchard will thrive after an application of this fertilizer. Sometimes I burn logs to get ashes for this purpose, and if I have no chip-dirt, I go to a dead oak or hickory, and scrape together the fallen bits of bark, and the rich earth around the tree. It is a very good substitute for the chip-dirt. It is obvious that this material is rich in the elements of food of trees. I believe in keeping fruit trees well fed, and that a large space around each tree should be given exclusively to the tree from which to draw its supplies. I never plant close to my trees, preferring to have them branch low, and to trim down rather than up.—*B. W. Jones.*

POULTRY SUGGESTIONS.

If they are cared for, and always have clean, wholesome quarters and not crowded, poultry will always be healthy. If a fowl merely acts a little "cranky," do not imagine that it is sick, and commence stuffing it with drugs, simply remove it to a pen some distance from the flock, and let it alone a few days. If it proves to be very sick chop off its head and burn it. For cholera, a strong solution of hyposulphite of soda, given three times a day, in teaspoonful doses, is probably the best remedy we have. For gapes, dip a feather in turpentine, and insert it into the windpipe. One application will generally cure; two are sometimes necessary. Dip sealy legs in kerosene two or three times. A little sulphur mixed with the food once a week in winter, prevents packing of the crop, and irregularities of the bowels, caused by over eating, and the constant production of eggs. Gravel and coarse sand are necessary for the digestion of food. Crushed bones, old plaster, lime, etc., are necessary for the formation of egg-shells. Cayenne peper in small quantities, mixed with the food occasionally during the winter, promotes egg-laying.

Fifty hens will eat and trample down half as much grass, if yarded upon it, as will keep a cow. A coop of small chicks in the garden will destroy an enormous number of bugs and worms. Do not permit your poultry to forage upon your neighbor's farm; it is a mean, contemptible trick, and often practised by men who would resent it if accused of petty thievery. Ducks and geese prefer to have their nests on the ground; some will not lay anywhere else. Place their nests in rows along one side of the house, and separate them with thin board partitions.—*Poultry keeper.*

EXPERIMENTS ON THE FARM.

In general farm and garden culture, the opportunities for investigation are endless, and the methods are simple. The trial of new seeds; the variation of time of planting and harvesting, to determine the best results; experiments with new or unusual crops, as seed-raising, new fodder crops, such as millet, sorghum, mustard, and others; the effects of drainage; the value of special fertilizers, as lime, bone-dust, potash; the trial of the various remedies suggested for insect pests; the methods for preserving posts and other timber; the feeding and management of stock; ensilage; the production of new varieties of vegetables, fruits, grains, and fodder plants, by selection, and it may be, by crossing the existing varieties; the invention or improvement of agricultural implements, etc.—these are a few of the many interesting branches of agricultural investigation. Consider next the methods of experiment. There are two great essentials at the foundation: exact measurement, and exact record. Measure everything, either by weight, by dimensions, or by duration of time, and keep a systematic record of everything. Add to this thoughtfulness, and you have the whole secret of experimental science. Think what you desire to ascertain, and direct the experiments accordingly. Think over the results of your experiments carefully, and draw your conclusions. In dealing with crops, the customary method is, to divide a sufficient area of land into carefully-measured small plots, and use each plot, or a number, for any particular plant under trial. Where it is a question of soil or manures, always have the crop under test at least one plot, the soil of which is left in the natural condition. This last serves as a basis of comparison with other plots that have been variously fertilized.—*X. Clark.*

FEEDING AND CARE OF SWINE

None of our farm animals answer more quickly to, or yields more profit from good treatment, than swine; and, in many localities, none are more neglected than these homely, but useful animals. In the West, where hogs run at large and follow the droves of feeding steers, their management after they are weaned is very simpie, but where hogs are kept in yards or pens and are expected to subsist mainly on skimmed milk, or the refuse from the kitchen, more care is necessary and their wants must be carefully attended to, or they will not thrive as they ought. The most important thing to remember in feeding hogs is, that there is no such thing as "stock order;" the pig that is not so fed that it gains in weight continually and rapidly, is not a profitable animal, and soon eats more feed than it is worth. Many farmers keep a pen of store hogs in low condition through the winter, at a dead loss; the pigs do not grow, and yet eat almost as much as the fattening hogs. Here, again, we come to the "food of support." The larger part of the pig's food is needed to keep him alive, and prevent him from going backward; and a very little more food, judiciously applied, will usually make all the difference between profit and loss in keeping pigs.

The cheapest pork is that made from pigs which have been fed all that they would eat. If it does not pay to make pork by liberal feeding, it does not pay to make it at all, and it had better be given up. The care of pigs should begin as soon as they are born; sometimes the sows are very savage and, if not prevented, will eat the pigs as soon as they appear. If a sow shows this disposition she should be watched and the pigs taken from her. When her labor is finished, they should be carefully put down beside her and she will generally take up with them at once. The pen for breeding-sows should be roomy and warm, the floor nearly level, so that the weight of her body will not settle down and crush the pigs.—*Stock-breeder in American Agriculturist.*

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1. William C. Whitney, Secretary of the Navy. 2. William F. Vilas, Postmaster General, 3. Daniel Manning, Secretary of the Treasury. 4. Lucius Q. C. Lamar, Secretary of the Interior. 5. William C. Endicott, Secretary of War. 6. Augustus H. Garland, Attorney General. 7. Thomas F. Bayard, Secretary of State.

The New Cabinet.

We take particular pleasure in presenting our readers with faithful portraits of President Cleveland's advisers, the heads of the Executive departments at Washington, in one group, with accompanying brief sketches of these eminent persons.

THOMAS F. BAYARD.

Thomas F. Bayard, of Delaware, is the first in the list, as Secretary of State. He was born in the State of which he is an honored son, October October 29, 1828. His early ambition was for a mercantile career, but, he was persuaded to read law, and in 1851, was appointed to the Bar. In 1853 he was appointed by President Pierce, United States District Attorney, but soon resigned the office. He succeeded his father as United States Senator, in March, 18 9, was re-elected in 1875, and again in 1881. As a member of the Electoral Commission, after the disputed election of 1876, he voted, with the unsuccessful seven. Secretary Bayard has been strongly supported for nomination to the Presidency.

DANIEL MANNING.

Daniel Manning, of New York, Secretary of the Treasury, was born in Albany, New York, about forty-seven years ago. His parents were extremely poor, and at an early age he was employed in the office of the Albany *Argus*. Rising step by step he became compositor in that journal, then a reporter and editor, and is now President of the company owning it. Mr. Manning is an intimate friend of Samuel J. Tilden and President Cleveland. He has been twice married, the second time recently, and has two children by his first wife, a son and daughter.

WILLIAM C. ENDICOTT.

The New Secretary of War, William C. Endicott, of Massachusetts, was born at Salem in the Bay State, where he now resides, in the year 1827. He was educated at Salem and Harvard College. After his graduation, in 1847, he entered the Harvard Law School, and having completed the course of lectures read law in the office of an eminent firm. He was admitted to the Bar in 1850, and rose to eminence in his profession. In 1873 he was appointed by Governor Washburn, a Judge of the Supreme Court of Massachusetts. His health being bad he resigned this office in 1882, and subsequently spent considerable time in travel. Before 1860 he was a member of the Whig party. He was an unsuccessful candidate for the Governorship of Massachusetts last fall.

WILLIAM C. WHITNEY.

The responsibilities of the head of the Navy Department have been assumed by William C. Whitney, of New York who was-born at Conway, Massachusetts, in 1839. He received a superior education, including the full course at Yale College. After graduation he entered the Law class at Harvard, and graduated there in 1865. He removed to New York City, where he was admitted to the Bar and where he continues the practice of his profession. He has been an active member of the Democratic party. As Corporation Counsel of New York, seven years, he manifested great ability and usefulness. He is rich and the son-in-law of Senator Payne of Ohio. As Secretary of the Navy he will find ample scope for his industry and capability.

LUCIUS Q. C. LAMAR.

Mississippi is represented in the Cabinet by L. Q. C. Lamar, who is a Georgian by birth. He received an academical education, read law and was admitted to the Bar. In 1849 he became a professor of mathematics at the State University, Oxford, Mississippi. Returning to Georgia he practiced law at Covington in that State, and began his career as a statesman by serving one term in its Legislature. He returned to Mississippi in 1854, was elected to the Thirty-fifth Congress and the next; resigned when his State seceded and became a Lieutenant-Colonel in the Confederate Army. He was sent to St. Petersburg by the Government at Richmond, in 1863. After the war he resumed teaching at the University of Mississippi, and while Professor of law in that institution was elected to the Forty-third Congress. He took his seat as Senator March 3, 1877, and was elected the second time, for the term ending March 3, 1889, in 1882.

WILLAM F. VILAS.

Postmaster-General Vilas, of Wisconsin, was born at Chelsea, Vermont, in 1840. When eleven years of age he removed to Wisconsin, where he was liberally educated. He graduated from the Law School at Albany, New York, in 1860, and was admitted to the Bar of the Empire State. He began practice in Wisconsin, in the same year. Entering the Volunteer service as Captain he rose to be Lieutenant-Colonel during the war; but resigned his commission, and recommenced the practice of the law, January 1, 1864. He refused the nomination for Govenor in 1870. At the Democratic Convention of last year he was permanent Chairman, and thus became known to the nation.

AUGUSTUS H. GARLAND.

Augustus H. Garland, of Arkansas, is the new Attorney-General. He was born in Tipton county, Tennessee, June 11, 1832. When he was a year old his parents removed to Arkansas. He received a Catholic education at Bardstown, Kentucky, where he also began the study of law. In 1853 he was admitted to practice at Washington, Arkansas, and three years after removed to Little Rock, the capital of the State, which is still his residence. His admission as an attorney of the Supreme Court of the United States took place in 1860. After opposing the secession of his State as long as he could, he gave his best support to the Confederate cause, and was elected a Representative and afterwards a Senator to the Congress at Richmond. In 1865 he applied for permission to practice in the United States Supreme Court, without taking "the ironclad oath." The result was a legal controversy not finally settled until December, 1867, when it was decided in his favor. While the case was depending he was refused admission to the United States Senate, to which he had been elected by the Legislature of Arkansas. Mr. Garland was elected Governor of Arkansas in 1874. In March, 1877 he took his seat in the Senate at Washington. He was re-elected for the term beginning in March, 1883.

"SUGGS" is no slouch.

THE words of "Rural" should be heeded.

THE difficulty in Afghanistan between England and Russia seems to admit of amicable adjustment.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND rises early and shaves himself. Dudley Warner's aspiring young man might take notice.

THE Owensboro *Tri-Weekly-Inquirer* has enlarged to seven columns a page. It is a rarely neat and high-toned paper.

THEY say, the Vice-President's wife was opposed to Mrs. McDonald's husband's being made a member of the Cabinet.

A GENERAL strike by the employes of the Missouri Pacific railroad company last week was ended by the railroad officials' acceding to the demands of the strikers.

THE name of Hon. H. D. McHenry is mentioned in connection with the place of First Assistant Post Master General. He is the best man for the place that we know of.

LOUISVILLE has closed her gambling-houses, which were spreading their pernicious influence to an alarming extent. Mayor Reed is already talked of as a reform candidate for the Gubernatorial position.

ROBERTSON and Willis, Kentucky Congressmen, came near having a fight in Washington last week, about the plan of dispensing Kentucky patronage. The former 'cussed' the latter. Tom is still the Child of Destiny.

"MEMORABILIA'S" sentence, "In a magnificent city with streets paved and polished in the most approved modern style, where cattle crowd a thousand hills," manifestly contains a first-water inconsistency. Cattle do not make it a regular business to crowd hills in a magnificent city; nor are magnificent cities in the habit of possessing a 1,000 hills. Perhaps he meant a "thousand stills;" or, "Where swill crowds a thousand cattle," would be better.

THE fight for the Commissionership of Internal Revenue is bitter between the Protection and Low Tariff factions of the Democratic party. Carlisle, Beck and others want Thompson appointed, and Randall and gang want a protectionist. It is said that Randall is scheming to get in a man that is opposed to the taxation of whisky and tobacco, so that possibly the protective tariff duties may be increased. Cleveland seems to be a low tariff man, and will probably not favor Mr. Randall. Manning strongly objects to Thompson's being chosen, because he believes he is not the right man for the place. The Cabinet, it is said, have no personal objections to Mr. Thompson. Really, we believe they have; and why not? Mr. Thompson's private record will not bear close scrutiny nor moral sanction; he may be clever and personally agreeable, but he has violated the most important law of society.

A cunning Hartford lawyer is accredited with having once remarked, "Why, let's all get religion, it doesn't cost anything." Which? Are chickens, choice flour, turkeys, and new bonnets on the free list? Nay, not so. Then, more low, neither is religion. But another disprover of this assertion, more and most potent, is implied in the following condition: If religion didn't cost anything, every man, woman, and brat in Ohio county would be full of it to overflowing; the hum of prayer daily would exceed in volume the industrial din of a metropolis; sinners would be as scarce as saints are now. If religion were worthless, it were naught. The best part of the Christian faith is, that it enjoins self-sacrifice, fraternal feelings, bestowment of alms, despisal of mammon, community of interests. Religion does cost something, like education, like civilization, asylums, progress, passable high ways, comfortable houses. Precisely for this reason, we incline and dare to guess, is our shire not so orthodox as is becoming. Peter-pence and Charon's obol deter us more than paradisiacal joys attract or nether horrors frighten. The penny and obol deter, though the golden streets are in distant prospect. So does the cost of good roads prevent our enjoyment of them, though their advantages are patent We want prosperity, and we want a hereafter of bliss, but the fact that taxation is necessary for either will, it seems, but we hope and pray not, preclude our attainment of them.

Miscellany.

Lucius Quintius Curtius Lamar is certainly the noblest Roman of them all.—*Elizabethtown News.*

A handsome woman pleases the eye, but a good woman pleases the heart. The one is a jewel, and the other a treasure.—*Emperor Napoleon.*

Mr. Beecher says, "Heaven is a place of restless activity." Mr. Beecher has made a mistake. It is in the other place that the floor is kept hot. —*Padman.*

An old doctor said that people who were prompt in their payments always recovered from their sickness, as they were good customers, and physicians could not afford to lose them.—*Joker.*

When we desire to be informed, 'tis good to contest with men above ourselves; but, to confirm and establish our opinions, 'tis best to argue with judgments below our own, that the frequent spoils and victories over their reasons may settle in ourselves an esteem and confirmed opinion of our own.—*Sir Thomas Browne.*

Christianity, if it means anything, means sixteen ounces to the pound, three feet to the yard, a just weight and a just measure. It means honesty in all dealings, purity in all conversation, a charity as broad as the race, unflinching integrity, sympathy, and humanity to man. With these there can be no compromise.—*Anonymous.*

Dean Swift was once solicited to preach a sermon for the benefit of the poor. When the time arrived, he arose and selected his text: "He who giveth to the poor lendeth to the Lord." "Now," said he, "my brethren, if you are satisfied with the security, down with the dust." He then took his seat, and there was an enormous collection.

Law is like fire; since those who meddle with it may chance to burn their fingers. It is like a pocket with a hole in it; and those who risk their money therein are liable to lose it. It is a lancet; dangerous in the hands of the ignorant, doubtful in the hands of an adept. Law is like a sieve; you may see through it, but you will be considerably reduced before you get through it.—*Tin Trumpet.*

The country would like to know how the Northern bloody-shirt wavers feel over the treatment of the Liberty Bell at New Orleans. The venerable relic is covered almost every day with fresh garlands of flowers, and is receiving more attention than it ever received in Philadelphia. This is the meanest thing the South has ever done to the North. To be consistent with the record, as understood by the North, the hot-headed Southerners should have formed a procession daily and filed by the bell, spitting on it for the better expression of their contempt for loyal emblems.—*Owensboro Inquirer.*

A Methodist minister once started a church in a young Western town, but for want of pecuniary support was soon obliged to abandon it. His farewell sermon to the lukewarm brethren was characterized by more heat than elegance. He ended thus: "At the last day the Lord will say to St. Peter, 'Where is your flock?' and St. Peter will answer, 'Here, Lord.' He will say to Calvin, 'And where are your sheep?' and Calvin will reply, 'Here, Lord;' and so all of the shepherds can answer. But when he asks me, 'Where are your sheep?' how will you feel when I am compelled to reply, 'Lord, I haven't any; mine were all hogs?'"—*Harper's Bazaar.*

When we no longer look at an organic being as a savage looks at a ship, as something wholly beyond his comprehension; when we regard every production of nature as one which has had a long history; when we contemplate every complex structure and instinct as the summing up of many contrivances, each useful to the possessor, in the same way as any great mechanical invention is the summing up of the labor, the experience, the reason, and even the blunders of numerous workmen; when we thus view each organic being, how far more interesting,—I speak from experience,—does the study of natural history become!—*Charles Darwin.*

ONCE on a time, a notion was started, that if all the people in the world would shout at once, it might be heard in the moon. So the projectors agreed it should be done in just ten year. Some thousand ship-loads of chronometers were distributed to the selectmen and other great folks of all the different nations. For a year beforehand, nothing else was talked about but the awful noise that was to be made on the great occasion. When the time came everybody had his ears so wide open, to hear the universal ejaculation, of Boo,—the word agreed upon,—that nobody spoke except a deaf man in one of the Feje Islands, and a woman in Pekin, so that the world was never so still since the creation.—*The Autocrat.*

A people homogeneous, a people which had to constitute itself in a modern age, an epoch of expansion, and which has given to itself institutions entirely fitted for such an age and epoch, and which suit it perfectly,—such is the people of the United States. The political and social problem, then, we must surely allow that they solve successfully. There remains, I know, the human problem also; the solution of that too has to be considered; but I shall come to that hereafter. My point at present is, that politically and socially the United States are a community living in a natural condition, and conscious of living in a natural condition. And being in this healthy case, and having this healthy consciousness, the community there uses its understanding with the soundness of health; it in general sees its political and social concerns straight, and sees them clear.—*Matthew Arnold.*

If you will reflect that in order to call in and redeem the greenbacks the government would have to first raise money by taxes—or by what is in the long run the same thing, by sales of bonds—you will see that the greenback is simply a certificate that the government has actually spent and destroyed that much property; and that, as before said, it represents, not value existing, but value extinct, which is *nothing.*

You will see by this the extraordinary hallucination of those people who cry out for "more greenbacks." In a time of war, when the expenditures of the government enormously exceeded the largest sum it could raise from taxes, it was authorized to borrow money. It borrowed many hundreds of millions, upon bonds, or obligations promising to repay the lenders at a certain time, with interest at a stipulated rate. This was perfectly legitimate and honest. But, by a singular blunder, the government also chose to borrow money by a forced loan from its citizens, for which it gave, not interest-bearing bonds, but notes promising to pay, but neither stipulating time of repayment nor granting interest for the use of the money. Such a note made by an individual would be void; made by the government, it was tolerated, on the express ground that the government needed vast sums for its current expenditures, and must get money where and in whatever way it could.

But circumstances have changed. The taxes now equal the expenditures, and there is a large annual surplus even. How then can we have "More greenbacks?" On what excuse, in what way, for what purpose, can the government borrow money? What shall it do with the money for which it is to issue "more greenbacks?" The "more greenback" people seem to have perceived this dilemma, and to meet it they have begun to urge a great system of "public works,"—canals, railroads, and other costly improvements. But if we are to run in debt for these, surely it is better to do so honestly, by selling our bonds, than dishonestly, by increasing the amount of a forced loan which ought long ago to have been paid out of the surplus revenue, instead of redeeming bonds not yet due.—*Charles Nordhoff.*

The Scramble for Office.

Hon. Henry D. McHenry, of Hartford, passed through the city this morning on his return from Washington City, where he has been for several weeks. As Mr. McHenry is a member of the National Democratic Committee and has enjoyed the opportunity of gaining as intimate a knowledge of the inner workings of the new administration as any one man could, his opinions and observations bear considerable weight.

"The first thing I wish to say is that there has been a great mistake made about the number of office-seekers in Washington," said Mr. McHenry yesterday to a reporter.

"There are not so many as reports would lead one to beleive. Several responsible persons told me that there was a far greater number of office office-seekers in the Capital just after the election of Garefield than there is now. Of course, there are several delegations there, and in a certain way they are working for appointments, but the idea that there is a push and jam, so to speak, among the aspirants is a very erroneous one. The city is gay and lively, and, so far, Washinton society is very much pleased with the change of administration.

"Kentucky appointments? Oh it is hard to tell any thing about them Nobody knows much about the subject. Not even the appointing powers themselves have made up their mind as yet. The choices are yet to be made. The first appointment that will be in the State will be the position of District Attorney. The term of of George M. Thomas, the present incumbent, expires in May next, and his successor will in all probability be appointed this month or in April at the latest. For the position the fight wages hottest between J. C. Wickliffe, of Bardstown, and W. B. Fleming, of this city. The office will doubtless fall to one of them, but no one can tell now which will be the lucky man. For the places of Commissioner of Internal Revenue and District United States Marshal, the President has not yet made up his mind who of the candidates he will favor. As to the Collector of the Port and the Louisville postoffice, I do not hear a word said about them while in Washington. The strength of the different aspirants has not yet been taken in consideration at all Of the Surveyor of the port very little has been said. There have been a good meny applications for the position of Pension Agent, but when the candidates were made acquainted with the fact that Col. R. M. Kelley's term does not expire for two or three years yet, their ardor cooled somewhat. Nothing occuring in the meantime, to prejudice his case, I think Col. Kelly will be kept in the position. There is more interest taken in the contest for appointment as Commisioner of Internal Revenue than in all else. While every thing is being done in a very quiet way by the supporters of the different candidates, the fight is very warm and earnest. There is no wrangling or hard feeling however. All the while I was there I never heard of any trouble between the opposing workers. I see by the papers that there has been a difficulty between Robertson and Willis, but that has all grown up since I left. I don't think it amounts to much, however. Phil. Tompson undoubtedly has the lead for the place of Commissioner, and I think he will receive the appointment. He not only has the support of the Kentucky delegation, but is decidedly a favorite with the majority of Democrats, both in the House and in the Senate. His friends are very earnest in their labors, and I think we may safely look upon him as Walter Evans' successor.—*Courier Journal*"

Agriculture and Fertilizers.

The usual scarcity and extremely high price of farm and garden products, and especially of provender, lead the farmers to enquire what can be done to make their farms more productive and to enable them to supply the ever-increasing home demand for these things. Notwithstanding the corn crop of last year was fair and the hay crop good, the scarcity at present is remarkable. This is the result of the increased demand, and this increased demand is the result of the opening of the mining industries, the increased livery business and the great number of heavy teams now used in the log and timber business. This demand will continue to increase, and the prices will be sustained. Not only this, but the culture of tobacco must continue to be an industry here, and one of the best paying ones to the farmer or laborer of small means. Now what can be done to make these industries pay better? A better system of cultivation is already being introduced, and better farming implements are being used. These are favorable indications, but it is a fact that we have but little virgin soil now to bring into cultivation, and the old lands have been fearfully mutilated and run down. No man can afford to work poor land Time is too precious and the race is too strong to admit of it. The conclusion is, that the lands must be made richer. This can be done in part by proper rotation of crops, but it is a reasonable conclusion that something must be done to pay back what is constantly being taken off, or in other words, fertilizers must be used. The history of all old countries illustrate this. The crowded population of Europe and Asia could not be sustained but for the scientific system of cultivation and fertilizing. Then the question is, what sort of fertilizers must we use? Of course the frugal farmer will economize his home products This is sensible, this is economic But the home supply is inadequate to the demand, and commercial fertilizers must eventually be largely used. Science has pointed out the best plant-food, which is perhaps contained in a more highly concentrated shape in the bone and phosphates than in anything else. These have been subjected to numerous processes until the proper elements for the growth of wheat, corn, oats, tobacco and other crops have been gotten into a concentrated shape, and results of the most gratifying character are following their use. We will not endeavor in this brief article to point out the various grades of these fertilizers, but merely in a general way, to call attention to the necessity of them and the profits in their use.

The farmer generally objects that he is not able to buy commercial fertilizers, but he is not able to do without them. If money spent in this way makes your labor from 50 to 100 per cent. more profitable, then it is sound economy to invest in this, and that this is true is but the observation and experience of those who have faithfully used them. The application in the hill of a fertilizer suitable for corn or tobacco will, under ordinary circumstances, increase the yield at least 50 per cent. By a calculation it will be seen that this would be a very large per cent on the investment, much larger than could be realized by any other investment. For the permanent improvement of the soil a broadcast application would of course be proper. The sooner this idea is brought before the farmers of Ohio county the more rapid will be the improvement in the farming interests.

We were in Grayson county a few days ago—our neighboring county—a county with soil akin to the soil of our own county, and we find that the production of tobacco as well as the cereals has been very largely increased there in the last few years, leaving us far behind. This is attributable to the fact that the sale and use of fertilizers have become enormous. It is a fact that more car-loads were used in that county last year than wagon-loads here, and the benefits are seen in the large crops of tobacco, corn and wheat produced there.

We drop these thoughts that farmers may investigate for themselves as to the pay and propriety of such investments. RURAL.

For His Southland.

Editor Herald:

So long as I do not contravene stern facts in history, I am indifferent to the mere opinions of Ridpath, Goodrich, and even (if not too profane) their juvenile disciple, the unfledged Herodotus of Ohio county, who do not rank high as political historians.

The point to which "Schoolboy" should have addressed and confine himself, so far as "Suggs" is involved in the controversy, is, Was Hamilton monarchical? and should not have wandered away to what Lafayette and the world said, for this does no credit to him, in the comparison, as he denounced not only the plan adopted but even Paterson's saying it was "hog still with a little change of hash."

What I assumed, and still maintain, is, that he was undemocratic and monarchical. This is no new charge laid at his door. Madison, the inimitable Helvidius, who "buckled on the armor with Hamilton" to persuade nine States to adopt the Consitution, who with his bewitching kindness disarmed the Cicero of the South, Patrick Henry, the Virginia Legislature, and to whom the Federalists were largely indebted, became alarmed at his efforts to convert the government of the United States into a monarchy like Great Britain, and in five classic letters scrutinized the doctrine of the great Pacificus with an acuteness of intellect never surpassed and with a degree of severity wholly unlike the man. As a matter of fact this monarchical Federalist by his influence committed Washington's administration to a policy so unpopular and annoying, it was with difficulty they kept Washington from resigning.

No one denies that Hamilton was great and possibly, for all I know, right; but no Federalist denies that his plan, which was "admired by all and supported by none," was pure monarchy. I say, though I am a Democrat to the core, for all I know he was right. Who can tell? It has been said, "Riches are power and poverty is slavery all over the earth, and one sort of government is no better nor worse than another." We have seen the proudest, freest republics rise and touch the highest points of greatness, then from that full meridian tumble down to wretchedness, just as the most absolute despotism. This argues that what is the best form of government is still problematical and must be left to future nations to determine. That in all forms of government sovereignty must be lodged somewhere, is an axiom in the philosphy, to which no age has ever yet produced a single dissenter. But *where?* is a problem in political science which has engrossed statesmen from Noah to Bismarck, from the Judges to Cleveland. Whether that power should be vested in an inherent king, in representatives, or in the people, is a question which has threaded its way through the long weary centuries from Nineveh to New York, convulsing almost every nation in periodical wars, making Socrates an autocrat, Themistocles a democrat, and antagonizing Hamilton and Jefferson in Washington's council.

I should like to look into the Schoolboy's disparaging statistics, if space permitted. But, to say the least, his reflection upon Southern patriotism in the colonial struggle for independence is an instance of unblushing filial sacrilege, which unmasks his talk about patriotism. If treason can be in a republic, this turning upon one's own native land and heaping contumely upon it is treacherous treason in its most damning sense. Like an unnatural son stabbing the sweet mother that gave him birth, he turns upon his own Southland and drives his dagger to its very hilt, and, as if that did not satisfy, further prates about the traitors of '61. Treason! A war echo that reverberates only in the hearts of fools and demagogues. Traitors, the d—l! Talk about almost half of the population of a country being traitors, especially in a country where a loyal North was the hot-bed of slavery and secession, the birth-place of Blue Laws, which whipped its Quakers, drowned its witches, and actually roasted its negroes! Treason, indeed! My young friend, that is a word seldom used by good and brave men. Who says they were traitors? Does England, Europe, the world? Lord Wolseley, commander of the great English army, said a few days ago, that Lee was one of the only two heroes he ever personally knew. There is a marked distinction between rebellion or secession and what you glibly call treason. Dare you call Washington a traitor? and yet he was a rebel of the deepest dye.

Whether the South was right in the main I do not know, but rebellion is the price of liberty. It is the cloud that has lighted every nation to independence that ever won her freedom. That over-mastering genius, Confucius, who lived 550 years before Christ, whose principles are practiced by 500,000,000 of people, admitted that the redress of wrong was rebellion. His popularizer, Mencius, taught an inherent right to rebel against injustice. While we deplore the act of Brutus, Cassius and their co conspirators, if Mark Anthony had not read Cæsar's will to Rome, even they would not have been branded traitors. Were Ham and his sons, who rebelled against Noah, traitors? if so God prospers the traitor, and magnificent Babylon stood a glittering monument of his love for hundreds of years, to fall at least by the hands of Zopyrus, a traitor indeed, if you know what that means.

Right or wrong, the South fought for principles, actuated by as patriotic motives as ever enabled and immortalized a cause. By the mere chances of war she lost, and nothing but a breathing mass of prejudice, ignorance, or a blatant demagogue who would play upon man's worst passions, ever lays the charge of treason to her heroic sons, thousands of whom are sleeping the sleep of chivalry in glorious graves. I despise that narrow soul that can see good only in success, bad only in failure; that can see heroism only in the victor, and treason only in the vanquished. It is a soul lost in a human frame, and would absolutely rattle in a mustard seed. It is a novel peroration: But, Homer, for whose birth-place seven cities warred, damned his Iliad with blindness to Trojan valor. SUGGS.

Three Stars Investigated.

In the last issue of the HERALD some person writing above the three stars, in his great zeal and enthusiasm for the progress of our town, says a few things that need, as I find it, some notice. I do not know who he is; nor do I care. There is one of two things about him: First, Though he may have lived in a magnificent city with streets paved and polished in the most approved modern style, where cattle crowd a thousand hills, and mud is unknown, just as soon as he learned that on the banks of Rough creek, surrounded with dark, damp and deadly bottoms, where the people were reposing in the delicious embrace of lethargy and supineness, where mud was without bottom, while all the counties around were blooming as the rose, that in this miserable place, with the drawbacks indicated, and a thousand more, there was a little town so old that it had nearly died of old age, he left his splendid home and its many attractions and came here to arouse us from our Rip-Van-Winkle sleep and infuse new life into us, all at the sacrifice of his abandoned splendors and comforts; if this be not true, then, in the second place, He has always lived here and is endeavoring to imitate that notorious character in Egyptian history, Ismail Pasha. He had been educated in Paris, and his ambition was to Europeanize Egypt and make Cairo the Paris of the East. To accomplish this, he borrowed millions of money at the most exorbitant rates of interest. This money was expended in building turnpikes, at the ends of which were erected magnificent palaces, and Cairo received touches of polish and splendor such as Egypt had not witnessed since Alexander gave the finishing touches to the city that still bears his name. The interest on these vast sums caused the trouble that has cost England her best General, and the end is not yet. I hope Three Stars is not this ambitious.

It is true we need more energy, but we will come to it bye and bye. But we must crawl before we walk, or we will get many a fall, and perchance never learn to walk. Some towns are so situated geographically that they can never be places of note, and it is not from a want of energy on the part of the people. Hartford has business, enterprising men, and they will build her up as fast as she will bear. What is gained by a mushroom prosperity that will fade in a day? Hartford can never be a big town. Why not? A thousand reasons could be assigned, and I shall give only a few. Owensboro is only 28 miles away, at the terminus of a railroad, on the banks of the most beautiful river in the world, surrounded by a soil that will produce twice as much as ours. Another reason is, this is a bad place for a town, there being several months in the year that we are surrounded by water, with the exception of a small isthmus leading out into the poorest and most sparsely settled part of the county. Still another reason is, that the railroad thought we were not worth coming after and actually made a crook in the road in order to miss us a few miles, so all the southern section of the county go to points on the railroad to do their trading instead of coming to Hartford, because they can buy cheaper and sell higher there than here, and there are as intelligent men there as in Hartford or anywhere else.

But I must stop for fear all our people will leave town and none ever come to it. Here we have Three Stars telling in English and Latin what a miserable town and inert people we have, and here I am showing it can never be a big place. I want it understood, I do not oppose turnpikes, railroads, steamboats, etc., but I do protest against being abused and belittled, as Three Stars does. I claim that this is a noble generous people, and that we possess ordinary intelligence and the usual amount of energy and enterprise. We are doing very well, and I am opposed to the town's, as a town, taking any stock in turnpikes at this time. Why? We have just built a good college building which is unpaid for, and we have plank walks going to ruin for want of repair. I am in favor of extending these walks to every one that pays taxes, or moving those living off the walks up to them. It is unfair, unjust and contrary to every sense of justice to build a walk to one man's door, and leave another to wade through mud What do you think of this proposition? I suggest that we pay for the college, repair and extend the side walks, and then look for some other needed improvement we are able to pay for.

Now, I do not want to be spoken of as unfit for any except a pig heaven. I fear that too many of us are unfit for any heaven at all, but we do not care to be told so.

I will submit one other stubborn fact, that all will agree to: Too many enterprises are started and advocated, not for the public good, but for private interests. I do not mean for this to fit any one in particular, but all in general.

Auditi sumus, and it does not matter who I am; but if I have dealt fairly with questions, I have done all I promised myself in the beginning.

When three shining stars appear,
Then prepare to shed a tear,
For your faults will then appear,
And words you don't want to hear.

I have endeavored to write honestly, but *humanum est errare.* But I submit to the verdict of a candid public my notions above given. I now forever drop the subject. MEMORABILIA.

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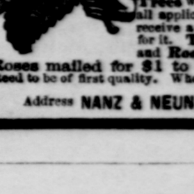

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We are authorized to announce JESSE S. WILLIAMS as a candidate to represent Ohio county in the next Legislature of Kentucky. Subject to the action of the Democratic party.

PERSONALS.

Mr. John R. Collins, of Central City, was in town several days last week.

Jas. H. Anderson, of the Bazaar, returned from Caneyville last week.

Mr. W. E. Roberts, photographer, is at McHenry this week with his picture tent.

Mr. Sam B. Bishop, of Central City, was visiting friends here Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Kattie Coombs returned from a visit to relations in Christian county last Friday.

Miss Jessie Shull is visiting relatives in McHenry. She will be absent for some time.

Mr. Wm. G. Duncan, superintendent of the McHenry Coal Mines, called to see us Monday.

Father K. W. King, Whitesville, was in town Monday and Tuesday looking after the interests of his church.

Rev. G W. Dennis, of Owensboro, arrived last week and is assisting Bro. Edwards in the protracted meeting here.

Mrs. F. E. Kimbley has been quite sick with pneumonia for a week or ten days past, but we are glad to note that she is improving.

J. Egbert Allen, of Detroit, Mich., representing a wholesale drug house, is a guest of the Hartford House.

John H. Craig, of Philadelphia, representing a wholesale clothing house, is a guest of the Hartford House

Mr. D. B. Ferguson, of Spring Lick, was in town a day or two last week. He was visiting his wife who is here under the treatment of physicians.

Mr. John L. Barnett and wife returned from Louisville last Sunday, where they had been to visit Mr. Barnett's sister, who is very sick.

Mr. John T. Martin, the popular hat drummer of the wholesale firm of Swan, Abraham & Co., Louisville, was in town a day or two last week.

Miss Rebecca Dillman, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. S. Vaught, for several days past, returned to her home at Caskey, Christian county, last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Barnett were called to Louisville last Friday to visit the bedside of Mr. Barnett's sister, Miss Jennie Barnett, who is very low with consumption.

Mr. Wm. A. Gibson, of the firm of Anderson & Gibson, Caneyville, was in town a day or two this week visiting his mother and sisters. We had the pleasure of a call from him.

Mr. John M. Torrence, of Monmouth, Ill., a former resident of Rockport, Ky., is visiting his mother, who is in quite feeble health. We had the pleasure of a call from him last Monday.

Hon. S. E. Hill returned from Washing Saturday morning. He witnessed the inauguration and had the pleasure of an introduction to President Cleveland. He reports a pleasent time.

Hon. H. D. McHenry and Hon. Samuel E. Hill returned from Washington City last week. They witnessed the inaugural services of President Cleveland, and say it far surpassed any inauguration ever held in Washington. It is really interesting to hear their account of the inauguration.

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New lot of Jellies and Preserves at the Red Front.

Try those Fig and Damson Preserves just received at the Red Front.

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Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Pendleton gave a Progressive Euchre party on Tuesday night of last week. The game is a new and interesting one, and takes twelve couples to play it.

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He cannot live, like woodcocks, upon suction
But, like the shark and tiger must have prey."

On Monday, May 25th, the first day of Circuit Court, the ladies of the Baptist church propose to furnish the prey, (also pray) for everybody who will call at the new church building between the hours of 12 o'clock M. and 2 P. M.

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Messrs. Pendleton and Small have received several orders for ducks and snipes during the last few days.

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The person who took my lantern from my stable is hereby notified to return it or the Commonwealth will be notified of it.

C. C. BENNETT.

Drummers are getting thick in these parts. There have been upon an average about three a day since the good weather opened up.

To make room for spring clothing Anderson's Bazaar will sell for the next two weeks at *special* low prices with still further reduction of 10 per cent.

The Rosa Belle arrived Friday evening, and left Monday. She makes two trips a week and has a day or two left.

If you want to save money buy flour of R. C. Hardwick.

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The protracted meeting at this place in charge of Rev. P. A. Edwards, assisted by Rev. G. W. Dennis, which began about ten days ago, is still in progress. Much has already been accomplished and we hope much more may be ere the meeting closes.

OHIO COUNTY.—Thirty-fifth in order and established in 1798 out of part of Hardin. Hartford is the county-seat. It was named for the river Ohio, which Webster says means "beautiful" in the Indian language.—*Courier Journal.*

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As will be seen in another column, 'Progressive Euchre has struck the town.' As it is the only progressive thing that has struck the town (hog cholera excepted) since the Old Board of Trustees stepped down and out, it takes like hot roasted ground-nuts. Wonder if we couldn't euchre the present Trustees out of good sidewalks?

The HERALD corps return many, many thanks to Mr. Gross B. Williams, of the Red Front, for the exquisite, delightful and felicitous little tokens of remembrance presented us last Saturday night. They cast an irradiation around us that never will be forgotten while we remain sub-aerial. The Keiser brand of cigars can't be beat.

Brother Edwards is a good preacher; good as a man and as an expounder of of his doctrines. Earnest, pointed, pertinent, equably tempered, he holds the sympthy and attention of his audience. He struck a key-note in his sermon last Sunday morning, when he expressed a great desire to see the complete abolishment of sectarian bigotry, which was a chief obstacle he said in the way of true Christainity.

Rev. Bird Weaver, of Morgantown, Ky., will preach at Hartford on Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night, March 28th and 29th. His subject for Saturday night will be 'Apostasy,' Sunday at 11 A. M., 'Communion,' and Sunday night 'Spiritualism.' He will also preach at Ceralvo on Saturday night before the second Sunday in April instead of Sunday night. He will also continue his appointment at Centertown on Friday night before the second Sunday in April.

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We would call attention to the advertisement elsewhere in this paper of B. F. Brower, who is in want of salesmen.

Bro. Dennis, of Owensboro, has been doing some good work in the protracted meeting. His sermons are appreciated by our people

Since the weather has opened up, Mr. R. C. Hardwick has commenced work on his skating rink again. If the weather is favorable he will complete it in a short time.

The Hartford House has been renovated from cellar to garret, repainted, repapered, and is now ready for the reception of guests. R. P. Rowe is the new proprietor.

An overstock in boys' and children's clothing has forced Anderson's Bazaar to make unheard of prices on them, and will for the next two weeks sell at greatly reduced prices.

Brother Edwards says he is very well pleased with the results so far of the protracted meeting. Good audiences attend, and four or five conversions have been wrought, and the interest is deep.

Just received, at Anderson's Bazaar, the largest and cheapest line of spring samples of clothing in the town from the well known and popular firm of Browning, King & Co., New York. Come in and leave your measure.

The largest stock of *extra size* clothing in the county can be found at Anderson's Bazaar, and all large men who have trouble in getting a fit should call on the Bazaar and see the stock and prices.

Thomas Bros. will receive per boat this week 40 sacks Ship Stuff. Call and examine prices.

The annual eclipse of the sun was witnessed by hundreds of our citizens last Mondy. The shadow approached the sun at six minutes past 11 o'clock A. M., solar time, from the West, and after covering about one-half the sun's face, the clouds obstructed further view of the scene. For several minutes before the clouds covered the sun, his face had the shape and appearance of a new moon.

A Boston correspondent of the Salem *Gazette* writes: "I will tell you a story, which I solemnly assure you is true. At a Christmas dinner given by a well-known charity organization, a young lady who was on reception committee had among her duties to attend the removal and care of the outside clothing of the children. In the bustle of several arrivals she hastily welcomed one small boy, and told him to take off his things. In a few minutes, hearing a shout of laughter, she turned round and found he had completely undressed, and stood in the same costume in which he was born! Her friends considerately refrain from asking her if that small boy obeyed orders."

Twelve years ago, while shooting prairie chickens in northern Minnesota, I purchased a farm of 1,600 acres. There was not a house in the neighborhood for miles at that time; now the country is well filled with attractive farm-houses. I have a dozen buildings on my tract, and the crops yield me a handsome return. Nine months in a year I devote to my profession in the city, but on the 1st of June, three days after leaving New York, I eat supper on my own farm, and no schoolboy enjoys his vacation more heartily. Prairie chickens are even more abundant there now than formerly, but the race has changed, their legs are feathered, and their meat, from feeding in the wheat fields, has become a delicate white.—*C. H. Stewart.*

Mr. F. Villiers, the well known artist of the London *Illustrated News*, accompanied the English Commissioners to Abyssinia, and he gives an interesting account of the customs of the people. He states that they are great consumers of milk, but never use it in a fresh condition. They do not artificially sour it, but the vessels in which it is placed are never cleaned, and thus immediately when the fresh milk is poured into these, fermentation commences. Meat, of which the Abyssinians are great consumers, they eat raw, and when guests are invited to sit down at a feast a bullock is slaughtered in an adjoining apartment as they wait, and strips are cut off while the flesh is still hot—sometimes, indeed, before the animal is absolutely dead. In eating, the native puts one end of a strip of meat into his mouth, holding the other in his left hand, and with his sword or dagger cuts off piece by piece close to his nose, cutting from left to right.

Unbreakable Bones for ladies' dresses the greatest impovement yet made on whalebones—cost less and are far superior to anything heretofore used for that purpose.

The Hartford Cornet Band look stunning, alluring and mashing in their new uniforms. If the weather permits, they will give a dress parade next Sunday afternoon on the Esplanade.

A man from one of our rural precincts, who had drunk until he was timber, created considerable amusement on the streets Saturday evening by falling off his mule several times into the mud. He was helped up again and again and finally succeeded in riding out of town.

Sheriff R. P. Hocker has the collection of the delinquent tax list. Those whose names appear on the list would do well to come forward and pay their taxes

About four weeks ago, at night, R. E. Williams, George Riley, Wm. M. Hinton and Samuel H. French, of the vicinity of Newville, had a lot of articles in the way of a log chain, axe, pair of gear, a pair of stay chains, two blind bridles, stolen. The parties got on their track so close that the parties taking the articles confessed to it and returned them, claiming that they took them while under the influence of whisky. The Grand Jury will attend to their case next Circuit Court.

Estray Notice.

Taken up as estray, by D. M. Park, living 2½ miles west of McHenry, on the Hartford and Rockport road, in Ohio county, on the 28th of January, 1885, one red heifer, about 18 months old, marked with a crop off of the left ear and a split and under bit in the right ear, crumpley horns, some small white spots on body and legs, white on belley. Valued by W. F. Loney at ten dollars.

Given under my hand, January 25th, 1885. JAS. D. BYERS, J. P. O. C.
8 4t

Hartford Water Mills to the Front.

We have ordered, and will receive this week, a full line of flours, from best Roller Patent to lower grades, which we will sell cheap for cash. $4.25 to $6.50 per bbl. Call and see our grades and prices before purchasing. Also we have plenty of bran and chop feed ordered, and on hand cheap for cash.

JEFFERSON'S HORSES.—Jefferson, like most of his class in Virginia in those days, was "land poor," and the practices of buying and selling on indefinitely long credits, of never paying or receiving cash for anything, of purchasing extensions of indebtedness at ruinous rates, were enough of themselves to have ruined a man of larger means and of more frugal habits than Mr. Jefferson, and he, unfortunately, was never a man either of large means or of frugal habits. His accounts show that he was continually buying things he could not afford, and indulging himself when he should have denied himself.—*John Bigelow.*

One of our sportsmen has received the following card, which explains itself:

You are solicited to attend the Convention of Sportsmen called to assemble in Louisville on April the 8th and 9th, and to bring all your friends who feel an interest in having laws passed to protect the game and fish in this State. This is an important move, and I hope to see enough interest taken to form a State Sportsman Association composed of the land owners and sportsmen who will co-operate in matters that will be beneficial to both. The Louisville Sportsman Association will entertain the members of the convention with a shoot at live and artificial birds each day, so bring your shot guns with you. The Convention will be held at night in the parlors of the Louisville Hotel. Those who attend the Convention will be given special rates by the Louisville Hotel Co.

JNO. M. BARBOUR, President
Louisville Sportsman Association.

Estray.

Taken up as an estray by Robert Southard near McHenry, Ohio county, Ky,, on the 21 of December 1884, one red muley heifer with white face, two years old, and marked two splits in the throttle. Appraised at $10. This February 28th 1885.
9 4t TOL ROBERTSON, P. J. R.

What Parents Fear.

Many persons—especially parents—object to many quack nostrums as likely to engender or encourage a love for strong drink. They are right. Better die of disease than drunkenness. The use of Parker's Tonic does not involve this danger. It not only builds up the system, curing all ailments of the stomach, liver and kidneys, but it stimulates without intoxicating and absolutely cures the appetite for liquor.
9 4t

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of consumption, bronchitis, catarrh, asthma and all throat and lung affections, also a positive and radical cure for nervous debility and all nervous complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper, W. A. NOYES, 149 Powers Block Rochester, N. Y. 11 3 eow 1y

BIRTHS.

HINTON.—To the wife of Wm. M. Hinton, Newville, a daughter. Dr Wm. Barnhill attending physician.

COLLINS.—In Hartford, Wednesday, March 11th, 1885, to the wife of John R. Collins, of Central City, a daughter.

MARRIAGES

ALLEN-DOUGHERTY.—At the residence of the bride, near Stewartsville, Friday, March 13th, 1885, Woodford Allen and Miss Dorcus Dougherty.

DIED.

RALEY.—At the home of her husband, Jonathan Raley, in the vicinity of Cromwell, Sunday, March the 8th, 1885, of pneumonia, Mrs. Josephine Raley. Her remains were interred on Monday.

No Creek.

March 10th, 1885.

Editor Herald:

From all appearances spring has at last visited us again, to the joy of the farmers who are busy sowing oats, burning and sowing tobacco beds. From the number of tobacco beds that are being sown we presume that there will be a large crop of tobacco planted this year. The prospects for a crop of wheat in this section are not very flattering, but on the contrary are very dull.

Mr. C. M. Barnett who has been attending the Greencastle, Ind., school, came home on account of illness, but we are glad to know he is improving.

Mr. Alex. Barnett, of Texas formerly a native of this county, has been visiting his brother J. C. Barnett.

Miss Maggie McCormick, who is teaching school at Pleasant Ridge, visited her home Saturday, the 7th ult. Louis, little son of Obed Chapman, was riding on a log-sled, the other day, on which his father was hauling a pole; the sled turned over, and if it had not been that the ground was soft it is thought that his life would not have been spared, as he went under the sled; fortunately he escaped with a severe wound on the leg, made by the log-chain, about two inches deep. He said he would have had a nice time if the sled had not upset.

The people of No Creek are sincerely glad that local option has at last prevailed. Now they want a thorough temperance man, one that will put his whole soul into the work, for their next representative. Who shall it be, gentlemen?

Success to the HERALD and its Editors, is the wish of

C. L. E.

The Several State.

The selfish state is—Me.
The numerical state is—Tenn.
The pious state is—Mass.
The maiden state is—Miss.
The paternal state is—Pa.
The maritime state is—Ark.
The exclamatory state is—La.
The invalid state is—Ill.
The orient state is—Ind.
The interjection state is—O!
The spiritous states are—Wis Ky
The military state is—Col.—*Breckenridge News.*

Mineral Wells, Texas.

March 11, 1885.

Editor Herald:

Allow me in the columns of your paper to voice the sentiment of Mineral Wells upon the very pleasant sojourn in our midst of Dr. J. S. Coleman and Rev. J. S. Taylor, who took their leave on the 9th inst., from many endeared friends here, for their Kentucky home. Truly, never before did strangers, of only three weeks' acquaintance, so completely rivet themselves to the hearts of a people as did these two noble Kentuckians; and a safe return to their loved ones at home was the sincere wish of sorrowing friends left behind. Should they ever return to these healing waters, they will find the hospitality of this people taxed to its utmost for their comfort and pleasure while stopping here. Dr. Coleman, while here, delivered four of his characteristic sermons which had the effect of "pouring oil upon troubled waters." Though his sermons were of a doctrinal character, yet so plainly and forcibly did he present the truth that people of all classes and denominations were heard upon the streets to congratulate themselves upon having the opportunity of enjoying such a gospel feast. His last sermon upon Regeneration, if you will permit the expression, positively "caved them in;" and I truly believe if he were to conduct a series of meetings at this place he would nearly, if not quite, mould the many diversified opinions into one, and establish triumphantly the Baptist cause. The impression he has made on the minds of this people is one of lasting good, and in their affections he has a permanent abode. A. L. R.

Obituary.

Died, at Pattiesville, at 1 o'clock A. M., Tuesday, March 10th, 1885, of consumption, Miss Minnie H. Keene, daughter of Augustus and Mary C. Keene, aged twenty-six years and five months. She was born near Augusta, Bracken county, Ky., October 10th, 1858.

Miss Minnie, as a school teacher, possessed a remarkable power of impressing on the minds of the little children the correct pronunciation, so often neglected with small school children, and though surrounded with the most humble circumstances of this life, by her modest manners and friendly disposition, was highly esteemed by all who knew her.

On Wednesday morning she was laid by the side of her sister in the John Pattie graveyard in Pattiesville.

Mr. Keene has lived in Ohio county six years, and during these few years death has taken from him three of his daughters. FORBES.

BROWN'S IRON BITTERS
Trade Mark QUALITY NOT QUANTITY. P PURITY On Every Bottle.
—THE BEST TONIC.
PHYSICIANS AND DRUGGISTS RECOMMEND IT.

This medicine, combining Iron with pure vegetable tonics, quickly and completely Cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Weakness, Impure Blood, Malaria, Chills and Fevers, and Neuralgia.
It is an unfailing remedy for Diseases of the Kidneys and Liver.
It is invaluable for Diseases peculiar to Women, and all who lead sedentary lives.
It does not injure the teeth, cause headache, or produce constipation—*other Iron medicines do.*
It enriches and purifies the blood, stimulates the appetite, aids the assimilation of food, relieves Heartburn and Belching, and strengthens the muscles and nerves.
For Intermittent Fevers, Lassitude, Lack of Energy, &c., it has no equal.
The genuine has above trade mark and crossed red lines on wrapper. Take no other.
Made only by BROWN CHEMICAL CO., BALTIMORE, MD.

Dick Waxey.

This fine saddle and harness Stallion will stand the present season, beginning April 1st and ending July 1st, 1885, at my stable, four miles north of Rochester, on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursday, and at Gasburg on Fridays and Saturdays, and will be permitted to serve mares at $8 to insure a foal. Money due when the fact is ascertained or mare parted with.

Dick Waxey is six years old, over sixteen hands high, gelding measure, and weighs 1,400 pounds.

Dick Waxey was sired by a Waxey horse, dam a Copperbottom mare.

I will give a premium of $8 for the best colt, $4 for second best.

All care taken to prevent accidents, but not reponsible should any occur.
10 3t LUTHER ELLIOTT.

Fits!

All fits stopped free by Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. No fits after first day's use. Marvelous cures. Treatise and $2.00 trial bottle free to fit cases. Send to Dr. Kline, 931 Arch St Phila., Pa. 10-17 1yr.

Estray Notice.

Taken up as an estray by Charles Howley, living on the Hartford and Calhoon road, five miles from Hartford, Ky., on the 23d day of January, 1885, one white steer with red ears, one year old past, marked crop and underbit in the right and under half-bit in the left ear. Appraised at $15.00. Witness my hand this 2d day of March, 1885.
10 4t R. A. STEVENS, J. P. O. C.

FARMERS CALL AT ONCE.

We have just received two car-loads of Fertilizers for oats, corn and tobacco. Will sell in small or large quantities.

HOCKER & CO.,
Beaver Dam.
10 tf

Capt. Sam E. Hill.

Capt. Samuel E. Hill, af Hartford, arrived here from Washington yesterday and thinks he has a walk-over for the Pension Office. Mr Hill is a partner of H. D. McHenry, and is strongly urged for the position by that gentleman. He says he was under the impression that there were no original Cleveland men in Kentucky, but ever mother's son of them now claims that honor. He also says that Phil Thompson locked like a sure winner when he left Washington, but the papers make him beleive that Phil. will have a harder fight than he had ever dreamed of.—*Louisville Commercial.*

Poisoned by a Nurse.

Some eight years ago I was inoculated with poison by a nurse who infected my babe with blood taint. The little child lingered along until it was about two years old, when its little life was yielded up to the fearful poison. For six long years I have suffered untold misery. I was covered with sores and ulcers from head to foot, and in my great extremity I prayed to die. No language can express my feelings of woe during those long six years. I had the best medical treatment. Several physicians successively treated me, but all to no purpose. The Mercury and Potash seemed to add fuel to the awful flame which was devouring me. About three months ago I was advised by my friends who had seen wonderful cures made by it to try Swift's Specific. We got two bottles, and I felt hope again revive in my breast—hope for health and happiness again. But alas! we had spent so much for medical treatment that we were too poor to buy it. Oh! the agony of that moment! Health and happiness within your reach, but too poor to grasp it. I applied, however, to those who were able and willing to help me, and I have taken Swift's Specific, and am now sound and well once more. Swift's Specific is the best blood purifier in the world, and the greatest blessing of the age.

MRS. T. W. LEE.
Greenville, Ala , Sept. 4.

Treatise on Blood and Skin Diseases mailed free.
THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Atlanta, Ga.

For Sale

My bay gelding, 6 years old, 15½ or 16 hands high, saddles well and works well in harness. Apply to
THOS. L. BAIRD or W. T. KING,
10 2t Hartford, Ky.

Dan F. Tracy & Son.

Dealers in the following goods:

Olds' Wagons, White Oak Wagons, Standard Buggies, Urie Plows, Excelsior Plows, Sulky Plows, Hay Rakes, Corn Drills with Fertilizer attachment, Champion Force Pumps.

Coffins, Cases and Trimmings

Wheat Drills with Fertilizer attachment, Mowing & Reaping Machines, Wheelbarrows, Riding and Walking Cultivators, Fence Wire and everything else in the Agricultural line.

Hartford, Kentucky

PATRONIZE HOME.

It is a well-known fact that every State in the Union has its patent medicines, some of them are truly meritorious and others less so. They are all able to furnish many testimonials, but those testifying are generally strangers to us. But Mr. T. E. Richey, of Princeton, Ky., well-known in this section of the State has prepared several remedies, consisting of Richey's Pills, Dysentery Cure Liniment, &c , and hundreds of our neighbors and friends are testifying that these remedies are all good. They are for sale by all Druggists. For further information address
7tf T. E. RICHEY. Princeton, Ky.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of taxes due me as late Sheriff of Ohio county, I will, on Monday, the 6th day of April, 1885, at the Court House door in Hartford, Ky., sell the following tracts of land and town lots, viz:

	FORDSVILLE.	
100 acres.	Miles, Chas	$3 15 tax
	BUFORD.	
65 acres.	Owen, John	3 85 tax
	Tucker, Geo. U., gd S. Hoover	3 65 tax
	HARTFORD.	
140 acres.	Moseley, Harriet	2 40 tax
1 town lot.	Moseley, Mrs. Jennie, adm. R. S. M.	6 80 tax
411 acres.	Fitzhugh, R. N.	9 70 tax
1 town lot.	Adams, Jacob	8 85 tax

Sale between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M. D. L. SMITH.

Religious.

MORGANTOWN, March 10, 1885.

Editor Herald:

Having received solicitations from some of your good people of your town to preach a sermon or sermons, I have consented to come to Hartford on Saturday night before the 5th Sabbath in March. At night I will speak on the subject of "Apostasy"; on Sunday at 11 A. M., the subject will be "Communion"; and on Sunday night I will speak on the subject of Spiritualism.

BIRD WEAVER.

For Sale.

One of the best residences in Hartford, with good outbuildings and in perfect order. For particulars call on
6 tf JOHN P. BARRETT.

A Good Offer.

We will send the HERALD and the *American Home* for one year to every new subscriber for $1.50. The *American Home* is a monthly paper published at Princeton, Ky., by Rev. T. E. Richey, and is devoted to temperance, religion and general news. Subscribe and receive both papers for the price of the HERALD. 7tf

Club Rats.

We will furnish the following papers the following club rates:

Hartford Herald and Weekly Louisville Courier-Journal, one year, cash advance, for .... $2.50.
Hartford Herald and Weekly Louisville Commercial, one year cash in advance, for $2.30
Hartford Herald and Farmers' Home Journal, Louisville, one year, cash in advance, for .... 2.50.

STATE NEWS.

Dorsey county, Ark., has changed its name to Cleveland county, in honor of the President. It was originally named for Senator Dorsey.

Hon. David Poole, of Rochester, Butler county, and State Senator from that district, was married on Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Capitol Hotel, to Miss Edna E. Prather, sister of Hon. W. V. Prather, Clerk of the Kentucky Senate. The marriage was witnessed by quite a gathering of friends of the parties, and was celebrated by Rev. Mr. Bagby, of the Baptist church, in a brief, but impressive and graceful manner. Miss Prather's friends claim for her all those admirable qualities which enters into the composition of an admirable wife. Senator Poole, outside of his efficiency and probity as a Legislator, is a gentleman of the greatest suavity and pleasing address, and in every respect a most excellent gentleman and citizen. The *Capital* earnestly wishes for its friend and his excellent wife all the happiness with which a kind Providence may strew their pathway. Mr. and Mrs. Poole left immediately for Louisville, en route to their home in Rochester, Butler county.—*Capital.*

All the State offices were closed on Tuesday in memory of Ex-Gov. Beriah Magoffin, who was buried on that day at Harrodsburg.

The execution of Gus Finley, the county murderer, has been fixed by Gov. Hindman for April 17.

Robert Burns Wilson, the poet artist of Kentucky, is said to be of unusual presence. He is over six feet high, of perfect figure, has a noble head and face, and is, personally, all that is in the man and gentleman.

The Owensboro *Messenger* says: In recommending the appointment of two Democrats to positions in the revenue service recently, Collector Farley acted generously and properly. Believing that there would soon be a change in the offices and needing two more men since the revival in the whisky business, he recommended to Commissioner Evans the appointment of Mr. W. H. Evans, of Rochester, Ky., to the position of storekeeper and Mr. Henry M. Caldwell, of Russellville, Ky., to a gauger's place. Mr. Evans received his appointment two weeks ago and is now on duty at the E. P. Millett distillery. As soon as Mr. Caldwell's appointment is received he will be assigned to duty. Both of these gentlemen are Democrats, and the latter was until recently editor of the Russellville *Herald-Enterprise.*

At Murray, a drummer put a pistol in his pocket in the presence of the Sheriff and county Judge, and was arrested and fined $25 and ten days in jail.

Near Kirksey, in Calloway county, Mrs. Elizabeth Jones, aged 70 years, fell into the fire and burned to death before assistance could reach her.

Judge S. H. Bowles, of Glasgow, a member of the State Senate has been indicted by the Grand Jury of Warren county for adultery. His paramour, a Miss Lawrence, was indicted for fornication.

Mr. Alex. Hollis, says the *Messenger*, foreman at Kerr's factory, while walking over the rough ground in the lower part of the city, Saturday night, twisted his leg and fell, His leg was broken just above the ankle.

Last week we made mention of the fact that an eagle measuring 7 feet 7 inches had been shot near Greenville, but a larger eagle than that was recently trapped over in Ohio county just across the river, by Mr. William Warden. A large eagle had been preying on his pigs and lambs, and one day it caught a pig and was devouring it on an old tree snag near by, when some of the boys came up and the eagle flew away leaving the pig unfished. They then placed three steel traps on the tree, knowing the eagle would return to finish its meal. Sure enough it came back and was caught in one of the traps. The top of its head is grey and its mouth of a beautiful golden color. It was taken to the house and put in a box. Since its captivity it has caught and killed ten or eleven cats that came around the box after the squirrels and chickens with which it was fed. After killing the cats it skinned and devoured them with a rapidity that was astonishing. This eagle measured 9 feet from tip to tip, and is a magnificent specimen.—*Argus.*

Trouble is still brewing at Horse Cave between the Slocum and anti-Slocum factions, the excitement having been renewed since the recent development of the Bowles-Lawrence episode.

Last Saturday Col. Z. E. Young, county attorney of Rowan, was fired upon by assassins in ambush when nearing his home at Morehead. He was painfully but not mortally wounded.

Judge J. W. Johnston and Capt. R. S. Triplett are announced candidates for the Senate in the Owenboro district.

Kentucky Patents.

The following patents were granted for the week ending March 10, 1885, reported expressly for this paper by Jos. H. Hunter. Solicitor of American and Foreign Patents, 936 F. street, Washington, D. C.

George S. Maxwell, Louisville, electric contact breaker; J. N. Stevenson, Salvisa, weeding and thinning device for growing plants; John W. Patterson and N. R. Jones, Slaughterville, vehicle; Dominick Kattenbacker, Shelbyville, blinder for bridles.

SANDWICHES.

A club house—The police station.

A nap is very refreshing to man. Yes, and it would be very refreshing to some coats.—*Hawkeye.*

When clothespins are only a cent a dozen there is no excuse for snoring in church.—*New York Journal.*

Don't shake with chills or burn with fever. Wilder's Chill Tonic is the sure cure.

A woman in some States cannot sue and be sued, but she can complain and be courted.—*New York News.*

What is the best covering for the head? demands a Western journal. Hair isn't bad.—*Binghamton Republican.*

Torn to pieces with a cough? Wilder's Wild Cherry Tonic will mend you.

It is now said that roller skating is dangerous. Not if the rink floor is sufficiently cushioned.—*Hartford Post.*

"Hannah More," says a writer, "was a good woman; but she had no corns." That's no excuse for writing poetry.—*Boston Globe.*

"Fine birds make fine feathers," and Wilder's Sarsaparilla and Potash make the blood pure and healthy.

A woman in Ohio gave $1,000 to a faith cure doctor, who at once disappeared. She was cured—of her faith.—*New York Tribune.*

Be pleasant and kind to those around you. The man who stirs his cup with an icicle spoils the tea and chills his own fingers.—*Lowell Courier.*

"Papa's pants will soon fit brother" is the first line of a new song, and yet it is said that there is no literary or musical genius in this country.—*Call.*

Prickly Ash Bitters is not an intoxicating beverage, but a pleasant, mild laxative and efficient tonic, acting directly on the liver, kidneys, stomach and bowels. 9 4t

A little skate.
A little fall,
A broken pate,
Laid up—that's all.
—*Free Press.*

The principal seasons illustrated at the roller skating rink are "fall" and "spring." Some of the remarks they provoke are summery.—*Norristown Herald.*

A young man is made better by a sister's love and Fever and Ague are *cured* by Wilder's Chill Tonic, also *malaria* and periodical disorders.

Lady to hackman—"How much did you say I have to pay?" "One dollar." "What's your number?" "Fifty cents, you mean, stingy old fraud.—*Texas Siftings.*

Does death end all? Well, no: but Wilder's Stomach Bitters ends all *Indigestion Consumption* and *Billiousness.*

"Don't be afraid!" said a snob to a German laborer. "Sit down and make yourself my equal." "I would haff to blow my brains out," was the reply of the Teuton.

Jules Levy frankly said to a Louisville reporter, "I am the only great cornetist in the world." And the Philadelphia *Call* thinks "people with delicate nerves wish it were true."

A Detroit doctor knocked a man down with a club in a street quarrel and then charged him two dollars for fixing up his scalp. You can't stump a doctor with hard times.

"Papa, what is the matter with your neck? I guess you are going to have a boil." "No, I think not. It is only a little pimple." "Then, papa, it must be a par-boil, ain't it!"

I was troubled with Chronic Catarrh and gathering in my head, was very deaf at times, had discharges from my ears, and was unable to breathe though my nose. Before the second bottle of Ely's Cream Balm was exhausted I was cured, and to day enjoy sound health.—C. J. Corbin, 923 Chestnut st., Field Manager, Philadelphia Pub. House, Pa. See adv't.

One singer said to another: "My daughter has inherited my voice." "Oh," said the other, with the most innocent air, "that is the explanation, then. I have always wondered where it was."

A Boston girl, who saw a fellow with delirum tremens, exclaimed: Unhappy man! Why do you permit yourself to get the 'James-James?'" The shock restored the sufferer to his right mind.

When rapid transit is finished, Brooklyn married men will have to invent new excuses for being home late. With the bridge and the elevated road a Brooklyn man's life is being made a hideous dream.

"Connecticutters eat boiled shad." This is a very small thing to build an item out of. If the boiled shad ate Connecticutters, or if the shad ate boiled Connecticutters, then it might be worth a passing mention.

"Joseph Marmaduke Mullally, how dare you, sir?" exclaimed the indignant mother of a St. Louis boy. "Take your sister's ear muff off your feet instanter, and find your rubbers. Don't be so lazy, sir?"

"Medicine stains may be removed from silver spoons by rubbing them with soft ashes and soap-suds." Great care must be exercised in not rubbing the plating off. This recipe should never be used on solid silver wedding presents.

She smote him with the shingle
Till she made him thrill and tingle
Because he did not mind his baby brother,
But he soon forgot his pain
And went singing down the lane,
"A boy's best friend is his mother."

A Maryland wedding had to be postponed because at the last moment it was found that somebody had stolen the marriage license. It is curious what chances some fellows do have, even when it would seem as though the last opportunity of escape had passed.

An English architect asserts that houses can be made of timber which will last longer than brick or stone. In many English town houses of oak and plaster are standing and in daily use that were built 500 years ago.

A Clear Skin

is only a part of beauty; but it is a part. Every lady may have it; at least, what looks like it. Magnolia Balm both freshens and beautifies.

Tid-Bits.

In a certain clothing store is a card announcing, "Perfectly-fitting garments. Every article sits as good as a hen."

A scene in a railway carriage. Fond wife—"Let me see your paper a moment, dear." Husband—"Yes, as soon as we get to the tunnel."

It is said that bleeding a partially blind horse at the nose will restore him to sight. So much for the horse. To open a man's eyes, you must bleed him in the pocket.

Poverty has its cares, my son; but, then, wealth has its scares, too, more than poverty, ten to one. Look at the panics on the money market every week! Do you ever hear of a financial panic in an almshouse?

Ethel: Mamma, what are the stars put up in the sky for?

Mamma. They are other worlds, dear.

Ethel: Worlds, mamma? I thought they were little holes to let the rain through.

"Miss Florence, do you love beasts?" "Am I to consider that as a proposal, sir?" was the lady's quick retort.

A man's curiosity never reaches the female standard until some one tells him his name was in yesterday's paper.

Two lawyers recently had a quarrel. The row became serious, and one called the other a jackass. He then went into court, and referred to him as "my learned brother."

An astronomer once confidently announced that a big comet that was approaching the earth would not destroy it. "How do you know," he was asked. "I don't know," he replied; "but in either case I am safe. If it does not knock the world to pieces, I shall be considered a prophet. If it does they can't blow me up in the newspapers."

The average person speaks about one hundred and twenty words a minute. This estimate is considerably short of that required when a trunk lid falls on a speaker's head while he is hunting for a button.

A Jersey boy has swallowed half-a-dozen steel buttons, and his mother doesn't have to scream for him when he is out in the street. She just brings a magnet to the door, and he flies to it like a needle to the pole.

"Look, dear, at all your wedding-presents. We surely have enough plate to last us a lifetime," remarked a newly-married man. "Oh, Charlie, don't be foolish; papa only borrowed them for the occasion," petulantly replied dear.

A member of the Phonetic Club writes asking us to drop the final ue in words so ending, and spell dialog, epilog, etc., etc. We are willing to drop the ue to a limited extent, but when the language club asks us to spell glue gl, we protest.

In a certain town, a young man consulted a clairvoyant on the future that lay in store for him. The reply was: "You will be poor up to the age of thirty." "And after that?" "After that you will have got used to it."

They were young and romantic, and although the minute-hand was pointing to twelve o'clock, they stood upon the porch gazing at the stars.

"That's Jupiter, dear, isn't it?" she murmured. "Yes, pet, and that is Sirius," he replied, pointing to another star.

"Are you serious," she cooed.

He kissed her, then pointed upward, and said:

"That's Mars, dove."

"And that's pa's," she whispered, as a footstep sounded inside, and if the young man hadn't scooted he would have seen more stars than he ever dreamed of. Her pa wears a 12½ with a brass toe.

"Well, my son," said a good-natured father to an eight-year-old son, the other night, "what have you done to-day that may be set down as a good deed?" "Gave a poor boy a cent," replied the hopeful. "Ah, ah! that was charity, and charity is always right. He was an orphan boy, was he?" "I didn't stop to ask," replied the boy; "I gave him the money for licking a boy who upset my dinner basket."

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Fashion Notes

Hammered silver jewelry is still in high favor.

Gold lace is introduced in many of the fancy articles for nice neckwear.

Iridescent ornaments, in the form of round flowers are mounted as aigrettes for bonnets.

Astrakan cloth is more in demand than the fur, although it is always used by old ladies and those in mourning.

Hat brims are cut nowadays, and part of the large bird dawns through the rolling side, so that it reasts against the hair.

The long, plain Newmarkets, in green, black, brown or plain jersey stockinet, with lasting buttons are popular with young girls.

Black silk hose and slippers are worn with dinner and evening toilettes, or the hose may match the chief color used in the costume.

White muslin embroidery in the open Irish and Venetian patterns will be much used for trimming light silks during the coming season.

Fans may be of black or white lace, or match the color of the toilette. Feather fans with gold or tortoise-shell sticks are handsome.

Sapphire and bronze figures in velvet are seen on garnet satin grounds, to be made with plain garnet or bronze velvet, for visiting costume.

Jerseys are cut off in front like a painted vest, and trimmed with a row of macaroons around the collar, down the fronts, on the edge and sleeves.

Suit of brown velveteen are made with a plain skirt and long polonaise, or pointed basque and drapery, with colar, cuffs and border on the skirt of beaver.

Striped suits for misses have a kilted skirt with the darkest color on the outside; the polonaise matches the lighter shade, with a folded plastron of the stripes.

Black lace flounces embroidered with gold are worn with gold ornaments on all black costumes; others with palm leaves in iridescent beads have clasps and buttons to match.

The coming French mantle for spring is of velvet, trimmed with lace and made with the Russian sleeve turning underneath and appearing from the back more like a large plate than a sleeve.

Among new dress trimmings is the mirliton, composed of velvet ribbons which begin on the hips and cover the whole skirt, being sit on diagonally, with spaces little less than the width of the ribbon between the rows.

Letters from Paris predict that the Russian blouse, full and without trimming, will be the favorite morning bodice for spring and summer. It is worn either with a regular belt or else it is closely shirred in the back, and has a half belt coming from the under arm seams.

The white lilac, which has long been the fashionable bridal flower, now appears in the embroidery on satin intended for wedding gowns. It is worked in white satin with chenille and white and is exquisitely pure in appearence. Some realistic souls prefer the daisies, which have a touch of gold, and the pound lilies with stems of dull green, but the white lilac with no color is queen of them all.

An exquisite tea gown of London origin is of dark heliotrope plush, opening over a point, extending from the throat to the feet, of pale blue China crape, forming a plastron and long, much gathered tablier. The revers of the robe are lined with satin duchesse of the same sky-blue tint. The ribbons forming the decorative parts of this gown are of heliotrope velvet, backed with pale blue satin. Heliotrope flowers form the corsage bouquet.

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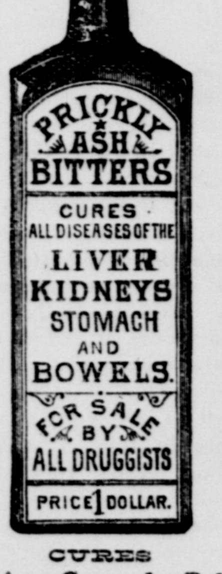

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